



# Delaware Center for Health Innovation Workforce and Education Committee Meeting

## **MEETING INFORMATION**

- Date: Thursday, May 11, 2017
- Location: Delaware Technical Community College, Stanton Campus, Campus Director's Board Room – B240, 400 Stanton-Christiana Road Newark, DE 19713
- Next Meeting: Thursday, June 8, 2017 1:00 p.m. Delaware Technology Park, 1 Innovation Way, Newark, DE 19711

## **AGENDA**

- April Meeting Recap
- May Board Recap
- Consortium Update
- Curriculum Update
- CHW Update and Discussion
- Licensing & Credentialing Recommendations
- Other Business
- Public Comment

## **SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION**

- The Committee recapped the discussion from the April meeting which focused on implementing recommendations from the Licensing and Credentialing paper, as well as the Community Health Worker initiative.

- Committee members were briefed on the status of the consortium and the health care workforce learning and re-learning curriculum. The consortium steering committee continues to meet and is looking to expand its membership to include additional stakeholders from health systems, federally qualified health centers, and higher education institutions. Per Health Care Commission approval, the consortium will live within the Delaware Health Sciences Alliance.
- The health care workforce learning and re-learning curriculum will launch Module 2 via an online webinar on May 24<sup>th</sup> with a focus on population health management. The in-person training session will then be held on June 7<sup>th</sup> in Dover. The Delaware Health Information Network will be involved in this session to discuss the use of quality data.
- The Committee reviewed draft recommendations from the Community Health Worker Sub-Committee and agreed the initiative is on the right path. Committee members noted the importance of integrating CHWs into the larger health care delivery team.
- Finally, the Committee reviewed a draft executive summary meant to highlight the Committee's desire to explore the feasibility of implementing a single, statewide credentialing verification organization in Delaware. Committee members called for additional research on proposed funding and governance structures prior to including other stakeholders in the initiative. This information will be presented and discussed during the June meeting.

## **NEXT STEPS**

- Research funding and governance structures for a statewide credentialing verification organization.
- Review near-final CHW recommendations
- Update from curriculum Module 2 webinar and in-person training session